

CALL FOR REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTIONS.

County attorney. Probate judge. Superintendent of public instruction, and Sixteen delegates to the Republican state conve

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WICHITA CITY DEL TOWNSHIP.
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the usual voting places in the townships ay, August 7, 1896, between the hours of 2 United States. when in the commissioner's district misses in the commissioner's district unless the arrangement is changed by order of the representative committee in the Entity-Initial district.

By order of the Central committee,

J. E. HENLEY, Chairman.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION. A delegate renvention of the Republicans of Kan-sus will be hold in the city of Topeia, on Wednes-day, the id day of September, 1800 at the hour of a vence p. m., for the nomination of candidates for their justice of the supretice court

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HENRY BOOTH, Chairman, BIONS, HUTCHINS, Secretary.

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STATE REPUBLICAN RESURMISSION CONVEN THON.

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The chairman of each Republican Result County Central Committe will forward or Telecka.

Henry Clay Evans for congress, What are the kickers kicking about?

Can any preceding administration show a diamond robbery in the vice president's family and a faint in the president's on the same day?

to the congressional convention to support Sedgwick county's candidate, Col. James R. Hallowell, for the nomination. The counties of the district are pursuing this course of action with gratifying free so near the center of the entire system as against us it will be well: if they should but extant. This explains why it requires a digital to the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as a gainst us it will be well: if they should so near the center of the entire system as undoubted success.

THE CENTER OF THE SYSTEM Wichita and the Santa Fe's Four Great Terminals, and Some Other Facts.

The conjunctive history of the Santa railway and theseity of Wichita presents a queer anamoly. The original route of the Santa Fe as filed in the offic of the secretary of the interior was by the way of the mouth of the Little Arkansas river -by Wichita. The route was changed, but the conformation of the country, the lines which nature had marked out, proved more resistless than the will of corporate managers and the point which the Santa Fe at first proposed to serve with a bobtail branch has become the very heart and center of her entire system, and in a sense, and in a practical way, that no other point, town or city. can show. She has run extensions and cut offs all around Wichita, bought out tion, entered into contracts restrain ing other proposed projections in point. to and out of Wichita, but in the end the city which has been ruling her own destinies finds herself the hub of and far-reaching railway system in the

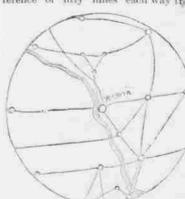
The grain of this market goes direct by a main line of the Santa Fe from Wichita to the lakes; direct by a main line of the Santa Fe from Wichita to the port of El Paso in Texas for Mexico. Sauta Fe from Wichita to the gulf, and from the Wichita yards to old Mexico, the long haul, and her cattle by the Santa Fe to Chicago.



As between the Santa Fe's principal est of the latter as to the former. terminals on the gulf, on the Pacific, on the Missouri and the Mississippi rivers, and on the lake, Wichita is a center through which the Santa Fe's through trains practically all go, or, ought to go. All her through trains from St. Louis to San Diego, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Guaymas and Denver, must go by the

every day of every month of every year Sabbath as another and larger class who er questions at issue with England, and gang has gone by in Missouri. As the on their feet; would awaken new tem for services by any other one city of day of rest, and to require the former to tude in the premises and the incidental state whether it states this fact from a until they were longer refused, and more if necessary—but it is the privilege of The United States has 3,602,990 square

Fe system in another and equally well defined, if not stronger, sense, in the impracticable, same sense that the lair of the spider is the center of his web. The Santa Fe opcrates a greater number of miles of railway in and out contiguous to, around



a larger circle, of one hundred miles, that the state than be was. with Wichita as a center, the fact holds as markedly true. The little outline wont to remark, "of an anecdote" that maps given in this article illustrate the is related of Senator Voorhees. It is said truth of both of our declarations. The the Tall Sycamore never kept house, and second sketch shows just how these lines soldom paid a board bill. At the time of The Democrats of the Chattanooga district of Tennessee have nominated are located with reference to the alleged incident, he had allowed his Henry Clay Snodgrass to run against Wichita. Within the circle named, board bill to run unpaid until his landor within fifty miles of Wichita lord's panence became the pay him he insisted that his guest should pay him the Santa Fe has in round numbers six something on account; that he couldn't hundred miles of road, not counting side afford to keep him any longer without tracks; or to be exact, five hundred and some money. Daniel's only response ninety-seven miles. From Wichita a was: "Well, if you can't you had better greater number of engines and cars sell out to somebody who can. The Ness county Republicans in con- from any other point on the entire sys- realize that two can play at the restrict- the Democratic party, and his brother vention last Saturday expressed prefertem. To no other point could so many live policy as to trade matters, they will Congressioan Tillman, predicts that he, President Saturday expressed prefertem. ence for, and instructed their delegates engines and cars so readily be concen- probably be willing to take the ring out will be shot before the close of the cam-

assistants and road masters could be so conveniently located with reference to three or four divisions as at Wichita. But as to general offices, or even as to

repair shops, or as to even a shed for a

locomotive, or for a passenger car, or as to superintendents' or other offices, what are the facts? None, nothing. Is Wichita to blame, or has she been to blame in the past, or what is the trouble? The Panhandle extension ought to be operated from here; the Wichita & Western ought to be operated from here, the Midland ought to be operated from here, as also the west division of the Frisco, and here ought to be all the know under what head the translators of Reynold's homes. This is the only channel repair shops for these divisions and extensions, the round houses and car sheds, etc., as well as for the rolling stock of the cut-offs and other extensions, which rolling stock could be delivered and lines that were projected in this directaken from here with a shorter run and at a less expense than from any other

For every pound of pork packed here and destined for the Gulf the Santa Fe has one chance in two of hauling it to feated, the greatest, the most comprehensive its destination; so that road has one chance in two for the same product from St. Louis; direct by a main line of the When the live hogs are delivered at Kansas City the Santa Fe has but one direct by a main line of the Santa Fe chance in many to haul the product to City Mo., promises to boil up now right a real cyclone when he feels it. from Wichita to the mines of the moun. its final market. The fact has equal off and in a vigorous way. The Demotains. The packing house products of weight when applied to grain centered crats have thrown in one Seidlitz and Wichita go direct by the Santa Fe from at this market. Wichita is the natural Wichita to the cities of the Pacific, and grain market of southwest Kansas and direct by the Santa Fe to the gulf and of all the grain centered here the Santa that jaundiced town. to the Mississippi river. Live hogs go Fe has for all terminal markets one daily by the main line of the Santa Fe chance in two or one chance in three on

> vator facilities. The Santa Fe owns a and it is perhaps just as well since the by her Midland line and by her Wichita, The incident is too harrowing to pursue & Western line, and by all their connec- further. tions with the main line of the Santa Fe running through it. The plot is large that could be wanted.

Unless the Santa Fe intends the plot for some other specific purpose, what would be the matter with the SantaFe building such an elevator on such ground or encouraging some one else to do so? It would be the Santa Fe and as much to the inter-

BLAIR'S LAST BOB.

act providing for the enforced recogni- periodical. tion of the first day of the week, known to the Christian world as the Lord's, day as the universal Sabbath or rest day, and And Wichita is not as hub that be based on the divine law. There on, Will it do it? We hope so. n name only. The Santa Fe are many good citizens who as conscien

THREE OF A SORT.

served by the system. Take a circum- years ago John presented me with a very plied, 'Lamar, just give me your note, will be nothing out and a cow ahead."

Marshall, was arguing a law point with a circuit judge who failed to agree with main lines and of local lines, cut offs, you?" Without replying to Marshall the etc., of the Santa Fe system than can be judge turned to the clerk and directed found within any other circle of like cir- him to cancel the fine he had entered that the state was better able to lose it

This reminds us, as Mr. Lincoln was lord's patience became threadbare, and

where a division superintendent and his market, that is always the best

Bismarck still continues to dole out ppinions to the horrification of the royal family. They contain information that he received as chancellor, and so long as the stock holds out he will be bigger

than any man in Germany. "Buffalo" Jones and Colonel Hallowell are having a neck and neck race for con-gress in the Seventh District,—Atchison

That shows how little you know about it. But if it were true the "Buffalo" is running the liveliest chase he ever joined. Judge Miller, of Washington, has de-

cided that in the eyes of the law a pigeon is not a fowl. It would be interesting to the Bible in the conferring of the domin- to it. ion of man over the "fowls of the air, the fish of the sea," etc., meant the pigeon at ten cents per bushel last year is prepa to be

Theodore Tilton, when asked if he office. should ever visit the United States, he replied: "No." and launched this indictment against the United States: "No, I shall never go back to America. Society there has committed a crime against I defended myself and was de-

It begins to look like the state of Nebraska will commit the faux pas in rehere to Chicago and to St. Louis, and gard to the liquor traffic that Kansas did one chance in three for all of such several years ago, with the experiences products as go to the mountains, and the of this state and Iowa glaring at it as sole chance in hauling the live hogs to constant warnings to the contrary. So better effect. much for the intermeddling of our whoop. Pshaw!

> The city treasurer contest in Kansas the Republicans have added a whole Case. It is hoped that thisheroic treatment will cleanse the body politic of

The number of women who fainted at the sight of a mouse or toad last week is not worrying over his failure to get the Wichita wants, now, additional ele- the public will probably never know, nomination as much as he was which plot is reached by her Frisco line, fainting at the sight of a run-away team.

The August number of The Forum will contain an essay on "The Decolle:e enough for an elevator of any capacity in Modern Life," by Elizabeth Stuart however large and for all the side tracks Phelps, which is a text from which the writer argues an alarming decay in delicacy in American society; and she traces | fighting it. the effects of this decay in our art, in our literature, in politics, and throughout the whole range of American activity.

"The Speaker's Error," by X. M. C. of mutual benefit to both Wichita and one of the leading articles in the July number of the North American Review, was ordered printed in its entirety in the sentatives on the 11th inst. This is the Crank Blair, he of educational bill first time in the history of congress such notoriety, now wants congress to pass an distinction has been accorded to any to prevent the nomination being thrust

The tariff bill is now before the senate. cific go through this city. Her through governs man's actions in the matter of | bill, the country will not be wholly withtrains from Chicago to Galveston go labor and rest, but will agree that the out hope of relief. The senate has the through Wichita, and so, on. It takes but Divine order is just and wise, man alone benefit of the country's sentiments and a glance at the map to show how true the considered. But in determining what wishes touching this important measure proposition is that Wichita is the hub of day shall be thus observed is at once in larger and fuller and more emphatic the Santa Fe system with reference to legislating upon a matter of consistence and it ought to be able to see its way and letter of our fundamental law, though | clear to prompt and decided action there-

has been paid more money by Wichita tiously believe that Saturday is the true The discussion of the fisheries and oth- lionizing such ruffians as the James of tens of thousands and set them again every day of every month of every year satisfactions and targer class who since 1872 than has been paid to that system of Canada's and the pertinent question of Canada's and is san independent organ, it should since 1872 than has been paid to that system of Canada's and the pertinent question of Canada's attilised in the system not a terminal city, the figthe system not a terminal city, the figthe system not a terminal city, the figthe system not a terminal city, the figviolence to their conscience. Every one
the latter day would be to do
violence to their conscience. Every one ures for which fact we published for a should observe one day in the seven as a brought out some facts as to the relative series of years commencing with '72 and | rest day-voluntarily if he will, forcibly | areas and population of the two countries. than any other terminal city until the the individual to elect which day he will miles. Canada has 3,425,743 square Santa Fe reached the lakes and the gulf, observe and it is not the province of any miles. If we include only those portions But Wichita is the center of the Santa | power to dictate which it shall be. In | of Canada which are habitable, it will be this matter its author displays his found that its area is greatly reduced. if I must fight the issues of the hour, let wanted penchant for championing the It has now only 5,000,000 people, while the United States has 60,000,000.

In another column will be found a communication from Mr. George L. Justice Lamar, who never accepts a Douglas on the subject of A National pass or present of any kind, tells of him- Bankrupt Law. Mr. Douglas discusses and about Wichita than around and about self this one; "Down in the locality I the subject in a very forcible and inteland through any other city touched or call home lives old John Dilliard. Some ligent way. The importance of the subject must commend it to the thoughtful ference of fifty miles each way from fine Alderney cow, I said: 'John, I consideration of all. We understand a never receive presents.' 'Well, he re- meeting will be held in this city today with a view to taking some action in the and as you will never pay it anyway you direction of bringing the important matter to the attention of congress and of This is nearly as good as an incident | urging proper legislation thereon. Mr. that occurred down in Kentucky, way Douglas' communication will explain fore de wah. The celebrated barrister. Tom more fully the importance of the matter.

Whatever the necessity for legislation him, and Marshall used language more by congress to enable the states to exeremphatic than courteous to the judge, cise control over their local affairs, in the whereupon his honor directed his clerk matter of commercial transactions in parto assess a fine of fifty dollars against the | ticular, it cannot be successfully denied attorney for contempt of court. Mar- that Representative Lehlbach was emshall said nothing at the time, but shortly inently correct when he said in his speech afterwards when the judge was not en- on the original package bill that the only gaged he quietly moved up close to the successful method of prohibiting the libench and in a suppressed tone quor traffic is to create a sentiment in the of voice said: "Say, judge, lend me community that shall destroy the decumscribes a greater number of miles of fifty dollars to pay that fine with, won't mand for intoxicants by total abstinence from their use. The proposition has been so clearly demonstrated as to be beyond question. This may be done, but cumference in the whole system. Or in against Mr. Marshall, adding the remark to stop the traffic by force, so long as the United States and test the rights of of the best men in this western country there is a demand for the article, it never | American citizenship. The case is in the | who for three years past have seemed to has and never will be done.

Hot as the weather is, politics in South Carolina present a more fervid condition. The race for governor is a three cornered Democrats by the Farmers' Alliance of which he is a member, but he appears to temerity to expose and denounce certain irregularities and derelictions on the part of some of the Democratic state officials could be handled with less mileage than Now that the French are beginning to ately attempting to disrupt and destroy now in office. He is accused of delibertrated and with so little mileage as at Wichita. There is no point on the entire and not consider with other European truth if the truth happens to hurt someroad where the general offices would be sgainst us it will be well; if they should but extant. This explains why it recountries to extend the restrictions body, and this is so not only in Carolina. prevaricate.

SUNFLOWER SHIMMER.

It is more palpable every day that Senator's Plumb's politics is "west."

The Comanche delegation to the Seventh district congressional convention was instructed for Lewis. The county has six delegates,

If the opposition at Kansas City could get a man named Jamaica Ginger to run against Mr. Seidlitz they could beat him in a trice this kind of weather.

Funston has the delegation from Linn This will kind o' catch the county. reath of those fellows who are fighting Funston for the popularity of the thing. The Kansas penitentiary now has 919 onvicts within its walls. The increase may be due to the scheme to get into John

The Kansas farmer who stored up corn ing to leave his land in charge of a hired man and come in town to start a los

Next week the Dodge City convention comes off and a great many candidates in the Seventh district will have to decide that they didn't want to go to congress, anyhow. Eugene Ware was not born a poet.

When he was young he was a harness maker. This is not given out as a claim on the Farmers' Alliance for Mr. Ware, however. Kansas politicians don't have to put their ears to the ground any more to hear

rumblings of discontent. The majority of them could wear ear muffs, just now, with Two hundred and fifteen cyclones visited Kansas between '75 and '89, more than any other state experienced. The figures are

probably some eastern's, who don't know Mr. Swensson, the congressional aspirant of the Seventh district, is in Europe. Mr Swensson's silence during the campaign

for his nomination has been the most vig orous probably of any in Kansas history. It is said to be probable that the Democrats of the Sixth district will not nomiunte a man for congress but will join the farmers on Baker. Congressman Turner

Senator Ingalls says the announcemen plot of ground north of Oak street, which plot is reached by her Frisco line, fainting at the sight of a run-away team. that he would be with the colored people have to make other arrangements for sec ond column editorial matter for August

The latest is that Jake Stotler will procure the Atchison Patriot and turn it into a Republican paper. The rumor of the establishment of another Republican paper in Atchison is about the only suspicion the Champion has had that anybody is

That was a pretty little compliment senator Plumb paid the state in his argument with Senator Edmunds who doubted the veracity of Preston B's source of information in regard to that Utah institution. 'The persons I saw in Utah had gone from Kansas," indignantly replied the senator. The Horton Headlight, notwithstanding Congressional Record as a part of the regular business of the house of representatives on the 11th inst. This is the apon him?

When that body shall come to a vote on other day, and ran to Topeka—thirty-four the measure if its nation is in hormonic with the measure if its nation is in hormonic with the measure if its nation is in hormonic with the measure if its nation is in hormonic with the measure if its nation is in hormonic with the measure if its nation is in hormonic with the measure if its nation is in hormonic with the measure if its nation is in hormonic with the measure if its nation is in hormonic with the measure in the mea providing penalties for its violation, the measure if its action is in harmony miles, whistling all the way. The people way of Wichita. Her through trains from Galveston to Denver and the Paciffe or through this city. Her through this city. Her through this city and not fall down as it did on the silver pend on the Harrison Kelley opposition for his usefulness, and by rendering it imnoise this summer.

"The man in politics who tries to be honcuffs than the demagogue and thief," says tune. the pessimistic prophet of the El Dorado agogue gets just as many kicks and cuffs every single county in Kansas will furas the honest man. The difference is that the feelings of a rascal are invulnerable. of this statement.

To the Editor of the Eagle. Kentucky I said to an excited crowd on one occassion, "If I must fight, let me fight with the constitution in one hand and the sword in the other, fight it out in the union and not out of it." So now, me do it in my party and not out of it. A REPUBLICAN.

A QUESTION OF RELIGIOUS LIBERTY. Tennessee Puts Itself on Record.

About one year ago a farmer by the play which, in the long run, will benefit in nearly every vicinity is good this season name of King, living in Obion county, all classes alike. Moreover it must be and the country's hay erop ought to be remembered that a vast proportion of ing on his farm on Sunday, brought be private indebtedness in this state has Beaver Advocate. The long looked-for ing on his farm on Sunday, brought before a justice of the peace, tried, convicted and fined \$3 and costs, amounting
in all to about \$13. Mr. King being a
member of a church that observes the
seventh pay of the week (Saturday) as
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subsequently subsequently while on the other the Subbath, thought he had a right to labor, at least on his own premises, on the other six days of the week in according to the other six days of the week in according to the other six days of the week in according to the other six days of the week in according to the other six days of the week in according to the other six days of the week in according to the other six days of the week in according to the other six days of the week in according to the other six days of the week in the state and thus have a direct tendency to increase values of all kinds; and no class has a larger interest in this than the cultivate his farm on Sunday betimes, as occasion and necessity seemed to resource it was not been before he was a larger or the section to ask and committee or the section to ask and committee or the section to the quire. It was not long before he was drawn with great care. The large costs complained of again, this time before and other objectionable features of the grand jury at Troy. A true bill was found against him, the indictment alproposed act, and the most careful proleging plowing on Sunday to be a nui- vision is made for its honest and econe His trial came off in the circuit | ical administration. court last March, at which time he Our delegation in congress ought to was fined \$75 and costs. The fight for this measure with even greater of the lower court. It is now proposed age would bring relief to thousands and to take the case to the supreme court of a waken new hope in the breasts of many hands of the National Religious Liberty struggle against fate itself. association, an organization of compara-tively recent origin, and is attracting Washington, the bankruptcy bill will be considerable attention because of the considered in the house of representaquestion of religious liberty which it in- tives tomorrow and Wednesday. volves. affair, the candidates being Generals Bratton and Earle and Captain Tillman.

The latter has been recommended to the Democrats by the Farmers' Alliance of the compoundation of the compoundation of the compoundation of the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the compoundation of the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and a few tellows the religious ideas and greater weight than mine; and greater weight the religious ideas and greater weight the religious idea customs of those around him. be under the ban of the party leaders right to differ." Second only to its politi-because, forsooth, he has had the cal freedom, the United States is famed will stated, and the active support of the for its liberty in religious matters. The Kansas delegation may be of King case, it seems, will test whether importance. such liberty can be secured at the court of last appeals under the federal government. W. A. Colcoab. An Encouraging Sign.

The Brooklyn Eagle writes up the deeline of the cat as a household pet in a very graceful and purring editorial a of himself. The decline of Cha domesticity.

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A NATIONAL BANKRUPT LAW.

o the Editor of the Engle Every newspaper in Kansas ought to be urging upon congress the passage of the pending bankruptcy bill. In thepresent condition of affairs in this state the

people have a more direct and vital interest in this bill than in any other asure now before congress. Local pride and prudential reasons generally have conspired to public expression of opinion on this and some other subjects. But the time has come to tell the truth. Lying doesn't pay; and a day of reckoning is tolerably

sure to come. (The late census returns from Topeka and other cities in Kansas are an illustration of this fact.) The truth is that the inflation and boom speculation of 1885-6, followed by loss of crops in two succeeding years and the subsequent collapse of values all over the southwest, have produced their natural and inevitable result in this state. question is, will Mr. Morrill use it to Thousands of the best men of Kansas resuscitate his boom, or did he purchase it are laboring hopelessly under mountains of debt, and these mountains are grow-ing at the rate of 12 per cent every year. A Santa Fe engine broke some part of the throttle connections at Osage City the

him from engaging in any enterp est and do right gets lots more kicks and which alone he could retrieve his for-This condition of things is not confined Rebublican. But he is wrong. The dem- to Kansas. It exists in many states; yet

possible for him to secure credit, prevent

This country is full of life, vim and

natural energy, and a man only needs a fair chance to get along. But in thousands of instances natural en-When the rocsin of war was ringing in ergies are now fettered and entucky I said to an excited crowd on clogged by conditions for which the man who is the greatest sufferer is sometimes the least responsible. Remove these con ditions and in a few years many of the men who are at this hour struggling hopelessly in the mire of debt, again on their feet, wiser for past experience, carving out anew fortunthemselves, and, in time, ready and willing (for honor's sake alone) to pay up every honest debt. Nor would creditors as a class be the losers; for, in the wiping out of old and worthless debts, new wealth-creating forces will be called into

case was appealed to the supreme carnestness than they fought for free court of the state, which has just ren-count of the state, which has just ren-dered its decision, sustaining the action state would be vastly greater. Its pass-

According to the press dispatches from It would seem that a man has sought personally and by letter to im-Essen- egrams on this subject, sent to the Kar GEO. L. DOCULARS. Wichita, July 21, '99.

We Suppose So.

Rev. Bernard Kelly is reported as say ing a resultmissionist can not be a chris-tian. We suppose there is no law to

the cat is ascribed to the rise of the pug dog. It is refreshing to turn from poli- We presume the Exons forgot to leave United States liquor laws, grants so per-

ty sayings

OKLAHOMA OUTLINES.

Kingfisher held primaries yes terday. Governor Steele will visit Hennessey

The oats crop in Oklahoma is a very

R. Y. Magnum is now the editor of the Purcell Register. Cotton bolls are as large as partridge ggs near Noble The hot winds don't burt the politicians

They are too tough The county Republican akes place next Wednesday. The cattlemen have only two months

nger to remain on the strip In some localities the people go fishing with pitchforks the streams are so low. None of the papers have got far enough along yet to call the governor "George."

Oklahoma people who went to summer resorts are coming back home to cool off, Judge Baker, of Guthrie, has been men-tioned as the successor of Marshal Lurty, As soon as the election is over Norman intends to direct its efforts towards a water works system.

The editor of Hennessey is also a drug-gist. This makes two Oklahoma editors who are druggists.

What has become of the numerous fire departments Oklahoma used to boast? There may be a fire some day. Over the Indian land prospect the people

n Kingdisher are as happy as they were ver the territorial government. The Chickasaw farmers say the cotton rep is far ahead of that of last season and

the acreage is also much greater this year.

Marshal Lurty's wife is an invalid and could not come to Oklahome. This is said to be the real reason of the marshal's The Kansas City Star says the day for outsing such ruffians as the Laws of the scale of the scal

Beaver Advocate: Stock in all part of the range will be up to the usual standard The wire is being taken from the large sustures in the strip. The ranchmen al-low those who will take it off one half.

Many of the farmers near the strip are taking advantage of this offer to fence The Indian dances here on the Fourth reved to be a great attraction for many of ir people and visitors who had never be witnessed such performances. who have once viewed the dances, there is nothing to attract. The prevailing same ness of an Indian's movements soon grows

hay making machinery that one lately gone from this city to the claims of the settlers in this vicinity is saything to judge by there is going to be no immensation of hay put up shortly. The grass crop

EXCHANGE SHOTS

The Situation Explained. The papers in the Third district that are opposing Mr. Perkins are almost wholly Democratic -- Excess

What else would you expect? Since icarly all Republican papers have secur-d postoffice appointments through Mr. Perkins would they bite the hand that feeds them? Under such circumstances it is not natural that any one should want to compete with Mr. Perkins for nomination. - Arkansas City Dispatch.

Kansas Has the Bee Prom the St. Paul Piener-Franc.

Kansans are beginning to talk of Senator Plumb for the presidency. The Sun-flower state, with its \$2,000 Republican myerity, stands little chance of being mored with a presidential nomination such as some of its favorite sons may eserve the distinction. Only disreput-bly close states like Indiana and New York are noticed in presidential times.

There Difference Clearly Stated.

when Prohibitionists profess abhorence of "licensing a crime" it is well to remember that high license does not throw open the doors and give license to a traffic that does not exist under probiprevent a preacher from making a fool bitton, but simply imposes a heavy tax of himself.

Charge it up to Uncle Sam. bitton, but simply imposes a heavy tax upon the traffic that flourishes today under prohibition without bearing its share.